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A SINGLE MICROORGANISM

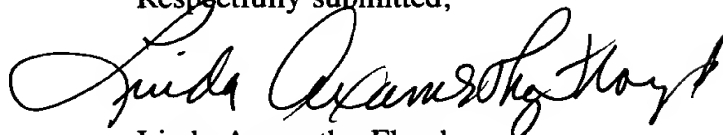
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DECLARATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 37 CFR 1.821

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